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§ Group Art Unit: 2128

Serial No.: 09/737,347

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Examiner: Ferris III, Fred O.

Filed: December 15, 2000

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Attorney Docket No.: AUS9-2000-0728-US1

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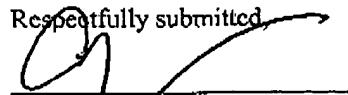
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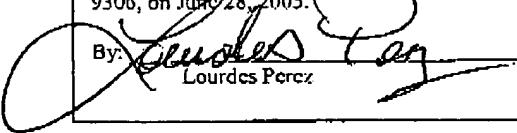
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In response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Listing of Claims begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.